

CALENDAR

COMBINED NEWS

Broken and Gen. Macco Has Joined Gomez's Forces.

Gen. Campos is Hurrying Reinforcements to Sagua and Other Points

To block Macco's Try-Hallows Thark Outside Havana Town-Ep-Campo Will Not Treat With Armed Rebels or Give Autonomy to the Island.

New York, Dec. 6.—A special cable dispatch from Havana says: Official reports received from Santa Clara Wednesday confirm the statement that Macco had broken Campo's line. Macco has since joined Gomez, and their combined forces are now marching toward Matanzas.

Campo is hurrying fresh reinforcements to Sagua, Cardenas and other points of the Matanzas frontier to block Macco's way. "In the very outskirts of Havana Tuesday night rails were removed from the Luneta and La Chocoma line. The act is a mystery. No patriots are believed to have been any where near the city."

The Herald's dispatch from Havana, via Key West, says:

"The Herald is authorized to contradict all statements which represent the Campo faction as desiring to treat with the patriots, or willing to grant autonomy to the island. On the contrary, he says: 'I will never treat with the rebels, and I will remain in arms against the crown, though, once the triumph of Spanish arms be assured, I would give Cuba all the liberties possible under the Spanish constitution, but not home rule.'"

Lord Salisbury's Reply. LONDON, Dec. 6.—The papers here publish a statement which says that he has learned that the reply of Lord Salisbury to the recent note of Secretary of State Olney, relative to the Venezuelan question, which reply is now en route to Washington, discusses at length the history of the question for forty years, and intimates that Great Britain does not depart from the view that the Shomburg boundary marks the limit of the territory possessed in that region.

Evans' Nominations. WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—The president Thursday sent to the senate a batch of nominations made during recess. Among them are those of H. H. H. Dawson, of North Carolina, minister to Mexico; John L. Peck, of Missouri, minister to Switzerland; Alan Thomas, of Florida, minister to Venezuela; and John K. Harlow, of Missouri, and Wm. G. Rice, of New York to be civil service commissioners.

Small Hotel Fire. ROCKSVILLE, W. Va., Dec. 6.—The Greenville hotel, located six miles east of here, burned to the ground Thursday morning. Wm. Reister, an employee of the hotel, was arrested and taken from the burning building dead. Several members of a medicine troupe escaped death by jumping from the second floor windows, and only in their night robes.

The Ceremony Postponed. BALTIMORE, Dec. 6.—The ceremony of the investiture of Mr. Francis Stoll, the apostle of religion in America, with the insignia of the cardinalate, which had been fixed to take place at the cathedral in this city on Sunday last, will, it is believed, be postponed. The date upon which it will take place will probably be made known Friday.

A Medal of Honor. WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—A medal of honor has been granted by the late private company H. Eighth Missouri volunteers, for gallantry in action at Vicksburg, Miss., May 22, 1863. Mr. Reed was a member of the company which made a gallant assault upon the Confederate works.

Woman Runned to Death. KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 6.—While cooking breakfast in her kitchen at Anderson county, Wm. Seiber fell in the fire. She rushed to a bed to smother the flames, but was burned to death, with the house and all its contents. A 4-year-old daughter seized two younger children and rescued them.

Heavy Fallure in Chicago. CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—The extensive deck seating, office furniture and foundry manufacturing firm of A. H. Andrews & Co., Thursday morning, made an assignment in the circuit court confessing judgment for \$225,787 in favor of the Globe National bank. Liabilities estimated at \$500,000; assets much less.

Maher and Fitzsimmons Matched. NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Peter Maher, champion heavy weight boxer, and Robert Fitzsimmons, champion middle weight of the world, were matched Thursday morning to fight to a finish in the Ring at New York on February 11 and February 15.

Three Men Killed. WARRNER, W. Va., Dec. 6.—A freight wreck on the W. & A. railroad, caused two sections of a coal train to collide, resulted in the death of Engineer J. W. Farlines, Conductor A. W. Straley and brakeman G. H. Helly.

Ernesto's Repatriation Confirmed. ERZURUM, Armenia, Dec. 6.—The largest Cuban expedition that has left Havana has been organized here, and it is expected that the party will have sailed within about two days.

Child Fatally Struck. KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 6.—Former Dan Best's child was burned to death in Anderson county, and the father was fatally injured trying to rescue it. Benson's Nomination Confirmed. WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—The senate Thursday confirmed the nomination of W. Bennett, of North Carolina, to be minister to Mexico.

The Gates Reported Injured. ROSS, Dec. 6.—A dispatch from Constantinople revealed in this city that the gates had become inactive.

Seventeen Hundred Shops and Fifteen Shops Plundered.

Number Killed in the Massacre Will Never Be Known, Probably 1,000.

Between Two and Three Thousand People Detestful of the Necessaries of Life in Erzerum Alone—Other Armenian Cities under Siege.

ERZURUM, Dec. 6.—A letter descriptive of recent events in Erzerum, Asiatic Turkey, has just received in London from a correspondent who says that the city is quiet and the government is trying to reassure the people. During the rioting about seven hundred shops and about fifteen hundred shops were plundered of all that was in them. The number of killed can never be known, for there were many strangers in the city, but it must be very near 1,000, if it has not passed it. The number of wounded in the hospital is over 100, and many remain in hiding.

In Erzerum alone there are between two and three thousand people destitute of fuel, bedding and food, and the majority have only the clothes they wear on their backs. The war started at Constantinople and has so far swept through Tiflis, Erzerum, Erzingan, Erzurum, Bitlis, Harput and most of the intervening districts. Of the districts assailed the cities that have suffered are Yeghuz, at the west, Kemah, Erzingan, Terjan, Balboort, Kooroh Chik, Zroomchik, Keppoo, Pessen, Kharoon, Alashgh and Iyzat. The entire Erzurum province has been deluged in Christian blood and the bulk of Christian property plundered or destroyed.

The government is making a show of distributing the plunder collected from the barracks to the rightful owners, though this attempt is in a farcical. A few will get something back, a good many will get nothing. The government is giving out bread to the destitute.

The consuls have done all they possibly can for the safety of the city. Only foreign occupation will establish a beneficial change. The reform scheme was born dead, and there is no hope from that quarter. If Europe delays longer the suffering this winter will be most harrowing.

The attack was made by Moslems after leaving the mosque after the noon hour of prayer, and it was simultaneous on both sides of the city. The Armenians were in their places of business, the most of which were simply death traps, in case of any sort of attack. The Armenian population of the city was cut off at the end. Not a man escaped, and the shops were not only plundered but wrecked.

The more violent Armenians, the Hunchbacks, had determined to keep perfectly quiet till the scheme of reform was tried.

Those who are forced to give up plunder are bitterly complaining that they were told to plunder and now are being given up with their goods. The sides have ruined their Armenian neighbors and friends. The scheme of reform has now become an impossibility. The hope of this land is foreign occupation.

BLUE AND GRAY.

A Reunion in New York City of Veterans of the Blue and Gray.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—In answer to a call issued December 2, signed by Mayor Strong, Chas. J. Deane, James Callaghan, Martin T. MacMahon, Andrew G. Dickinson, Chas. A. Dana and John J. Garnett, about fifty well-known New York veterans of the blue and gray met at the city hall Thursday and organized for a reunion and parade of the veterans of the civil war, both the blue and gray, in the streets of New York on July 1, 1888. It will bring together at the celebration those who are left of the men and the sides who took part in the "water struggle," and unite for the first time in the north the blue and the gray.

Charles A. Dana, the originator of the idea, is elected permanent chairman, and Col. John J. Garnett, permanent secretary. A motion to appoint an executive committee carried, and it will be selected in a day or two.

No Ultimatum Presented to the Porte. LONDON, Dec. 6.—The Morning Post will Friday publish a dispatch from Constantinople saying that the reports of the representatives of the powers in Constantinople had presented an ultimatum to the porte relative to the extra leased ships in Aegean. There has been no appreciable change in the situation, though it is true that the diplomats have made further representations, which have resulted in a fresh exchange of views.

Pittsburgh Operators and Miners' Agreement. PITTSBURGH, Dec. 6.—A rate of 64 and 70 cents was agreed upon at a joint convention of the miners and operators Thursday afternoon, to take effect January 1. From January 1 to March 1, 64 cents will be paid, and from March 1 to the end of the year the 70 cent rate will be paid. This arrangement will only be carried out after it is shown that all operators will pay a uniform price after the first of the year.

Jose Joaquin Mas de Vila. LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 6.—Gov. Clarke at a late hour Thursday night stated the fact of Jose Joaquin, the twice convicted murderer of the Hilben boys, and the execution will take place at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon at Camp Pike.

American Missionaries at Kilisliarsa. CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 6.—The porte sent a note to Hon. A. W. Tarrill, the American minister, notifying him that new and stringent orders had been given to the provincial officials to be sent foreigners, and also assuring him of the safety of the American missionaries at Kilisliarsa.

The Dixon-Bruce Fight in New York Thursday evening, was declared a draw at the end of the tenth round.

Prime Minister Crispien has decided to shut the chamber of deputies to prolong for a year the exceptional law against socialists.

The Madrid Globe describes the paragraph in President Cleveland's message referring to Cuba, as "an utterance of serious importance. Three men were killed in one of the streets of Dublin Thursday by the explosion of gas in the underground gas pipes which they were repairing.

The Hawaiian government has information disclosing beyond a doubt a scheme to inaugurate another big filibustering expedition on the Pacific coast.

Said Pasha, president of the council of state and formerly grand vizier, has taken refuge in the British embassy in Constantinople, fearing that he will be arrested.

A dispatch from Havana to the impartial says that Gil Gonzalez, rebel leader, who was recently captured and tried by court martial, was shot at Matanzas.

The First National bank of Pratt, Kan., went into voluntary liquidation Thursday. The stockholders have been paid in full and the stockholders have enough assets to pay out.

Edwin Mickleby, of Mickleby, near Allenton, Pa., a retired iron master, has made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors, with assets of \$110,000 and liabilities unknown.

The fire which destroyed the death in a tenement house fire at Gloverville, N. Y. Several other tenants narrowly escaped the same fate. The fire was caused by the explosion of a lamp.

At St. Louis up to noon Thursday three-fourths of the committee of six hundred delegates to the national republican convention had been reported, the sum pledged exceeding \$65,000.

The first wife of Sam Sushonkiss Harrison, daughter of the late Carter H. Harrison, to Barrett Eastman, son of Col. Eastman, was solemnized Thursday evening at St. James Episcopal church, Chicago.

While Mr. Reed has been very reticent in regard to the composition of the house committee, he admits that he will very likely be Mr. S. R. King, of Minnesota, a place on the executive committee on fisheries.

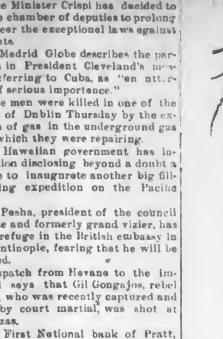
Gen. Wood has been appointed grand chancellor of the Legion of Honor in France. He was made a cavalier of the Legion in 1861, an officer in 1870, a commander in 1871, a grand officer in 1880, and a grand cross in 1887.

At Chicago a verdict of manslaughter was returned on Thursday evening against a man charged with the murder of George Puick, a patient, last August. The prisoner was sentenced to six years imprisonment.

Forecast for Friday. WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Kentucky—Fair warmer southerly wind. Ohio and Indiana—Generally fair southerly wind, warmer by evening.

THE MARKETS. CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—Wheat—Spring patent, \$1.02 1/2; spring fancy, \$1.02 1/2; spring medium, \$1.02 1/2; winter patent, \$1.00 1/2; extra, \$1.00 1/2; low grade, \$1.00 1/2.

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